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**CPUC TO HOST DIVERSITY HEARING IN FRESNO**

SAN FRANCISCO, September 18, 2019 – The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), in its ongoing efforts to promote diversity in utility company practices, will hold its 17<sup>th</sup> annual public hearing to examine the diversity programs of the state's regulated utilities, as follows:

**WHEN:** October 3, 2019, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

**WHERE:** Fresno Convention & Entertainment Center, Valdez Hall, 702 M St., Fresno, CA 93721

**THEME:** Success Through Geographic Diversity

**TOPICS:** The CPUC's Commissioners will be joined by the Honorable Gwen Moore, executives of investor-owned utilities, and others to review the progress, commitments, and initiatives made to increase the participation of women, minorities, disabled veterans-owned, and gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender business enterprises in procurement by regulated utilities and other entities. Please see the agenda below. An agenda will be posted to [www.cpuc.ca.gov/General.aspx?id=1883](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/General.aspx?id=1883).

Members of the public are invited to attend.

If you plan to attend and need specialized accommodations, please contact the CPUC's Public Advisor's Office at least three business days in advance of the meeting at CPUC Public Advisor, 505 Van Ness Ave., Room 2103, San Francisco, CA 94102 or call 1-866-849-8390 or 1-415-703-2074; or email [public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov).



Please see the CPUC's report detailing utility spending with diverse suppliers in 2018 at [www.cpuc.ca.gov/supplierdiversity](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/supplierdiversity).

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